MYSORE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, JUNE 25TH, 1931.

As in the previous week no reports of deaths from plague were received during the week. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1930 and 1929 were 17 attacks with 19 deaths and 56 attacks with 28 deaths respectively.

One hundred and sixty-two attacks and 95 deaths from cholera were returned from one village in each of Kankanhalli, Honnali, Hiriyur, Pavagada and Turuvekere (Sub) Taluks, two villages in each of Hunsur and Kunigal Taluks, three villages in each of Yelandur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and six villages in Seringapatam Taluk. Bangalore and Mysore Cities and Seringapatam and Hole-Narsipur Towns also reported cases.

A fatal case from small-pox was reported from Sagar Town.

Mysore City reported one fatal case from Influenza during the week.

The State remained free from Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 88, representing a calculated annual ratio of 38·59 per mille of population against the average ratio of 32·45 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 4 under malaria, 13 under broncho-pneumonia, 7 under pneumonia, 1 under other fevers, 3 under phthisis, 8 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 52 under all other causes.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 58 deaths representing a calculated annual ratio of 25·25 per mille of population against the average ratio of 29·39 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—broncho-pneumonia 5, pneumonia 7, other fevers 2, phthisis 3, dysentery and diarrhœa 3 and all other causes 38.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 75 representing a calculated annual ratio of 46·45 per mille of population against the average ratio of 35·92 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—cholera 14, malaria 4, pneumonia 7, other fevers 1 ,phthisis 10, dysentery and diarrhœa 6 and all other causes 33.

There were 35 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Field equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 20·59 per mille of population against the average ratio of 23·67 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under pneumonia, 4 under other fevers, 6 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 23 under all other causes.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday the 27th June 1931 :—

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice	Guntoor per palla	100	246	11 8 0 to 15 8 0	—	6 to 8½ seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna per palla	100	246	— —	No stock	—
	Dharapur „	100	246	— —	„	—
	Mysore Kaddi „	100	246	11 0 0 to 11 8 0	—	8 to 9 „
	Alubbalu „	100	246	— —	No stock	—
Ragi	Duyam (Black) per cart load	640	..	19 0 0 to 20 0 0	..	25 to 28 „
	Superior (Red) „	640	..	21 0 0 to 24 0 0	..	
Tur	Gulberga	—	..	— —	..	8 to 10 „
Tur (Dal)	— —	..	—	— —	..	6 to 7½ „
Avare	— —	..	..	— —	..	6½ to 7 „
Avare (Dal)	— —	..	..	— —	..	6½ to 6½ „
Oils and oil seeds—						
Oils	Sweet oil	..	26½	5 8 0	..	0-2-6 per seer
	Castor oil	..	28	4 0 0	..	0-2-0 „
Oil seeds	Gingelly or Til seed per candy	255	—	35 0 0 to 42 0 0	—	—
	Castor seed „	255	..	16 0 0 to 20 0 0	..	..
Other Food Articles.—						
Sugar	White Bura	—	25	3 7 0	—	0-6-9 to 0-7-0 per viss.
	Kolar Bura	—	25	3 5 0	..	
Jaggery	Achu	..	28	1 0 0 to 1 6 0	—	0-2-0 to 0-3-0 per viss.
	Oonde	..	28	1 0 0 to 1 4 0	—	
Ghee	Superior (Mandya)	—	26½	15 0 0 to 19 0 0	—	1-14-0 to 2-6-0 per viss
Salt	Bombay Salt (Black)	105	—	6 4 0 to 6 8 0	..	15 seers per rupee.

BANGALORE,
Dated 30th June 1931.

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For *Director.*